

STATE TROOPS AT DRILL.

WORK IN THE SCHOOL OF THE SOLDIER.

REUNION OF VETERANS—REGIMENTAL ORDERS

LOOKING FOR A COLONEL.

It has been decided that the joint parade and review by the Governor of the First and Second Brigades of the National Guard of the State of New-York shall take place on October 25. The combined forces number nearly 9,000 men, and if the skies are propitious it is expected that the various organizations comprising the two bodies of men will turn out with full ranks. Since the days of Governor Dix it has not been customary for the Commander-in-Chief to parade mounted with the troops, but it is proposed this year, if Governor Hill will consent, that he and his staff shall appear on horseback on this occasion and lead the column down Fifth-avenue to the place of review near the Worth Monument, and there drawing out of the column, witness the march past and receive the salute at the column. This will be more in accordance with military custom, and will enable the people on the sidewalks to see the Governor as he passes by without crowding about the reviewing stand. General Louis Fitzgerald's First Brigade, by virtue of his seniority, will have the right of the line and will form on the streets east and west of Fifth-avenue, below Fifty-sixth street. The Second Brigade, General James McLean, will be transported from Brooklyn in steamboats to the foot of some street on the east side of the city, probably Twenty-third-st., as that will be the point to which it can most speedily return to take the boats again after the review, and will form on streets east of Fifth-avenue, so as to wheel into column behind the First Brigade when it shall have passed down the avenue. General Fitzgerald has formally tendered the review to the Governor, and has suggested that he and his staff parade mounted.

Colonel George D. Scott has issued orders directing that the 8th Regiment assemble at the armory in fatigue uniform, with cap, blouse and blue trousers, for company drill on the following evenings at 8 o'clock: Companies F and H, Mondays, September 24, October 1 and 8; Companies D and E, Tuesdays, September 25, October 2 and 9; Companies G and I, Wednesdays, September 26, October 3 and 10, and Companies B and C, Thursdays, September 27, October 4 and 11. The entire command will assemble at the armory in State service uniform, black helmets and white gloves, for battalion drill on Friday, October 5, and Monday, October 15, at 8 p.m. An officers' meeting will be held on Friday evening, October 12, at 9 p.m. The annual inspection will take place on the evening of October 17. In cases where the regular monthly meeting of a company falls on a drill night the meetings will be held after the drill.

The veterans of the 6th New-York Cavalry will hold their reunion at the Metropolitan Hotel next Thursday. W. L. Heerman, president of the Veteran Association, announces that the bugle will sound the assembly at 10 a.m., and that cross-sabres and badges will be furnished for all who give notice to the secretary, Martin Flucken, that they will be present. The master of the monument fund is pressing well and members are urged to contribute. Members of Company B, or any who were with Sergeant Boyd at Gettysburg after the enemy had taken the town on the afternoon of July 1, 1863, are requested to report to President Heerman in order to locate the spot and have a proper marker placed on it, besides having the monument on the advanced line where the regiment was engaged in the morning. A large attendance at the reunion is expected. Members are requested to bring all the facts relating to the old command, as it is proposed to have a committee appointed to arrange for the preparation of a history of the command.

Captain Louis Wendel has issued orders directing the 1st Battery to parade at the armory in fatigue uniform, with sabres, for drill and instruction, on Monday, September 24; Friday, October 1, and Friday, October 5. The roll-call will take place on each evening promptly at 8 o'clock. The battery drilled last Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Edgar P. Woodman, of Company B, 71st Regiment, having been reduced to the ranks at his own request, Peter C. Estes, has been appointed to succeed him, and has entered upon the active discharge of the duties of the position.

The drills of the 2d Battery, Captain Ferdinand P. Earle, will begin this week. Lieutenant Wilson will instruct the first platoon on Tuesday nights; the second will be drilled by Lieutenant Rogers on Wednesday nights, and the third on Thursday nights by Lieutenant Pasco.

The 69th Regiment will go to Creedmoor for general rifle practice next Wednesday and Thursday. On October 1 the court for the trial of men who neglected their duties while in camp or failed to accompany the regiment to Peekskill will convene.

The recruits of the 69th Regiment received their first lesson from Captain Conlin last week. He will continue the instruction every week during the season, and his high reputation as an officer gives assurance that it will be thorough.

Sergeants Fliley, McConnell, Helm, Lutz and Melton of the 2d Battery, have been appointed a committee to make arrangements for the annual prize shooting at Creedmoor, which will take place on Thanksgiving Day.

Private W. S. Fay has been elected treasurer of Company B, 12th Regiment, in place of Lieutenant H. C. Appleton, who recently resigned the position. First Sergeant Harvey, of Company G, having taken his discharge, a new first sergeant will soon be selected.

As Colonel Jones, who lately commanded the 12th Regiment, proposes to remain in Europe several years, the hope of again inducing him to take the command of the regiment has been reluctantly given up by the officers. Captain Burns, Kirby and Howell, who have been appointed a committee to select a candidate for the position, are understood to favor the choice of Lieutenant-Colonel Homan Dowd, who is now in command of the regiment and is a favorite with the officers and men. An election will be held in October.

Second Lieutenant Wanhope Lynn will probably be elected First Lieutenant of Company D, 9th Regiment.

Captain George T. Leorgan, of Company A, 9th Regiment, is a prominent candidate for the position of Major of the 9th Regiment. An election will soon be ordered.

For the purpose of receiving theoretical instruction, the commissioned officers of the 11th Regiment will assemble at the Armory on the first Friday of each month during the drill season. The non-commissioned officers will assemble for a like purpose on the second Friday in each month. Every Friday will be set apart as headquarters night.

Orders have been issued relating to the details of company drills in the 11th Regiment. Instruction was begun in the school of the soldier last week. Companies which drill on the same evenings will hereafter use the large drill hall on alternate drill nights.

A new Board of Examination, consisting of Captain Theodore F. Schmidt, George W. Mooney and Charles Collins, has been appointed by Colonel Stewart of the 11th Regiment. The old board, over which Lieutenant-Colonel Walton presided, has been dissolved.

In compliance with the order recently issued from the Adjutant-General's office requiring that all persons holding the position of hospital steward in regiments of the National Guard shall be regular pharmacists Hospital steward Lehman, B. Holt of the 11th Regiment, has been honorably discharged.

The 12th Regiment, under Lieut.-Col. J. C. Clifford, will return from his furlough on October 4. Privates Richardson, Banta, Van Buren, Pratt and Seeger have been appointed corporals of Company D. Company drill will be held on Friday evenings. The first exercise will be in the school of the soldiers. The first exercises will be in the school of the soldiers.

The members of the uniformed battalion of the Mountain Guard met on October 4, after making a parade in commemoration of the sixtieth anniversary of the organization of the regiment.

Nearly 300,000 cartridges were expended in rifle shooting at the school of the soldier last winter. By constant practice only can the high reputation of this command for marksmanship be maintained. Every effort has been made at Creedmoor during the past month.

The non-commissioned officers of Company H, 2d Regiment, have formed an organization which will be known as the "Society of the 2d." At a preliminary meeting held last week First Sergeant Clifford C. Bailey acted as chairman and Corporal William C. Bailey as secretary. It is hoped and anticipated that the society will be a strong and useful association for non-commissioned officers of the regiment. The emblem adopted represents a corporal's chevron surrounded by the figures "2d."

be added Indian ink, which is said to be made from burnt wood, and which is used to prevent it from not revealing the secret of its composition. Many of the varnish so called is from the gum of the mimosa tree, indigenous to the Grecian archipelago. Black is the most used varnish. Of red ultramarine but little is found in the market. It is extracted from the precious lapis-lazuli, and commands a fabulous price. Chinese white is fine, sometimes is iodine of mercury, and clausier or native vermilion, is from quercitron ore.

STOCKS DULL AND STEADY.

SMALL FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES.

A FAIR AMOUNT OF TRANSACTIONS IN SPITE OF A SMALL ATTENDANCE.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE—SEPT. 22.

THE GENERAL LIST.

Actual Sales

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